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SUBJECT: MEAT INSPECTION

REF: MANAGUA 0168

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM DR. H. M. STEINMETZ,
DIRECTOR, FOREIGN PROGRAMS STAFF, MPI, APHIS, TO DR. JOSE
ESCALANTE, CHIEF OF MEAT INSPECTION.

2. MESSAGE: THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN YOUR LETTER OF JAN 9,
1975, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF KOSHER MEAT AT ESTABLISHMENT NO 6,
"INDUSTRIAL GANADERA DE ORIENTE, S.A." SATISFY OUR REQUIREMENTS
FOR THE LABELING OF MEAT AS KOSHER.

LABELS WITH REFERENCE TO KOSHER MUST BE APPROVED BY USDA.
LABELS SHOULD INCLUDE FOLLOWING STATEMENT: "PREPARED UNDER
SUPERVISION OF RABBI . ." IF EST 6 KOSHER LABELS HAVE
NOT BEEN SUBMITTED TO USDA/APHIS FOR APPROVAL THIS SHOULD BE DONE.
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LABEL APPROVAL FORMS SHOULD INDICATE PORTS THROUGH WHICH PRODUCT

EXPECTED TO BE IMPORTED SO COPIES OF APPROVED LABELS MAY BE FILED
WITH APPROPRIATE IMPORT INSPECTORS. SUGGEST THAT MANAGEMENT
OF NICARAGUA EST 6 AND CHIEF OF NICARAGUA MEAT INSPECTION
SERVICE CONTACT THE RABBINICAL COUNCIL IN AREAS OF THE
UNITED STATES TO WHICH THEY EXPECT TO EXPORT. APPROVAL OF
LABELS FOR KOSHER MEATS BY USDA/APHIS AND NICARAGUA MEAT
INSPECTION SERVICE DOES NOT GUARANTEE THAT PRIVATE RELIGIOUS
GROUPS IN THE UNITED STATES WILL RECOGNIZE MEAT AS BEING
KOSHER. END MESSAGE. KISSINGER

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